

Hop Barn and Kiln
Middlefield Center Vicinity
Otsego County
New York

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Street Address or Location: Improved Road out of Cooperstown
Middlefield Center Vicinity, Otsego County,
New York

Present Owner: Mr. Harry Parshall
R.F.D., Cooperstown, New York

Brief Statement of
Significance: This structure, said to have been built
before 1850, has been owned by the same
family for five generations.

PART I. HISTORICAL INFORMATION

A. Physical History:

1. Original and subsequent owners: Has been in Parshall family five generations.
2. Date of erection: Before 1850, according to the Parshall family.
3. Notes on alterations and additions: North kiln has been removed.

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PART II. ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

A. General Statement:

1. Architectural character: This three-story building has field stone foundations and walls of vertical wood siding.
2. Condition of fabric: Run down

B. Technical Description of Exterior:

1. Foundations: Field stone
2. Wall construction: Wood - vertical siding
3. Roof: Peaked roof, covered with wooden shingles.

C. Technical Description of Interiors:

1. Floor plans: Three stories
2. Wall and ceiling finish: Unfinished, except in the kiln where the side walls are plastered.

3. Hardware: Iron

4. Lighting: None

D. Site:

1. General setting: Farm

2. Orientation: Faces west

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